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In the Application of:

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Stewart D. Lyman and M. Patricia Beckmann

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Examiner: Janet M. Kerr, Ph.D.

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For: MEDIUM CONTAINING FLT3 LIGAND FOR  
CULTURING HEMATOPOIETIC CELLS

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**PETITION FOR TWO MONTHS EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the time for filing a response to the Office Action Summary mailed on December 21, 1998 be extended for a period of 2 months, to June 21, 1999.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fee of \$380 and any other fee occasioned by this response or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account No. 09-0089. A copy of this Petition is provided for this purpose.

Respectfully Submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that the enclosed correspondence is being deposited via first class mail with the United States Postal Service on the date listed below, and is addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date: May 17, 1999

Signed: Nanci M. Kertson  
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